Inclusion of inter-State river waters in Concurrent List

2398. SHRI VARINDER SINGH BAJWA: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be plased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to bring inter-State river waters in concurrent List to give more powers to the Centre; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (PROF SAIF-UD-DIN SOZ): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Completion of irrigation projects in Andhra Pradesh

2399. SHRI C. RAMA CHANDRAIAH: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have cleared or propose to clear irrigation projects in States;

(b) if so, the details of the projects approved, State-wise, particularly in the State of Andhra Pradesh;

(c) whether all the projects proposed to be launched during the current year;

(d) if so, the total expenditure proposed to be incurred during the current year;

(e) whether any time schedule has been fixed for completion of the sanctioned projects in Andhra Pradesh; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (PROF. SAIF-UD-DIN- SOZ): (a) and (b) The State-wise details of projects including those of Andhra Pradesh for which investment approval have been accorded by the Planning Commission during the Tenth Five Year Plan are annexed as Statement. (See below)

(c) and (d) Irrigation is a State subject and the planning, execution,